

Amendments to the Specification:

Please add the following new paragraph at page 1, between the title and the first line of text as follows:

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

The present application is the U.S. national stage application of International Application PCT/GB2003/003432, filed August 5, 2003, which international application was published on March 18, 2004 as International Publication WO 2004/023135. The International Application claims priority of British Patent Application 0220461.8, filed September 3, 2002.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 2, line 16, with the following rewritten paragraph:

GB 2 345 340 ~~discloses~~ disclosures a hood for surrounding a wall-mounted gas detector for providing an isolated environment into which calibration gas is fed.